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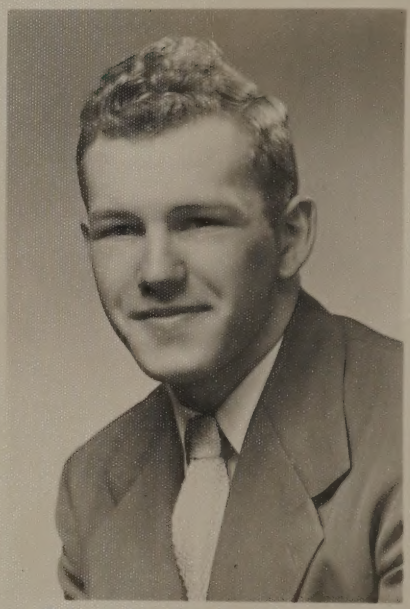

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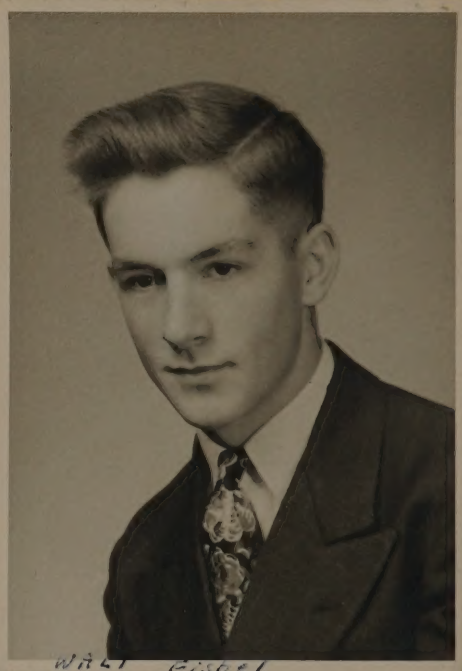

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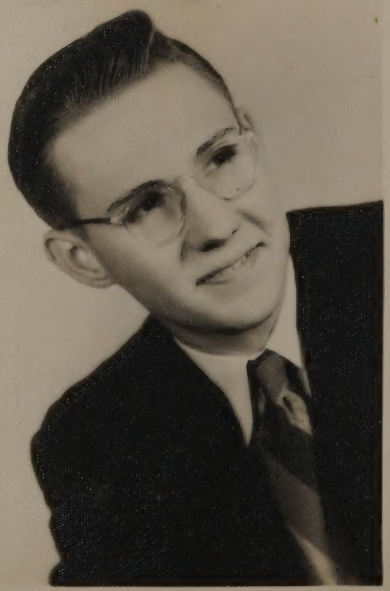

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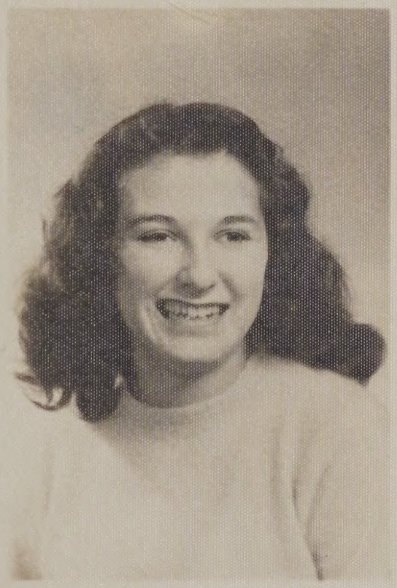

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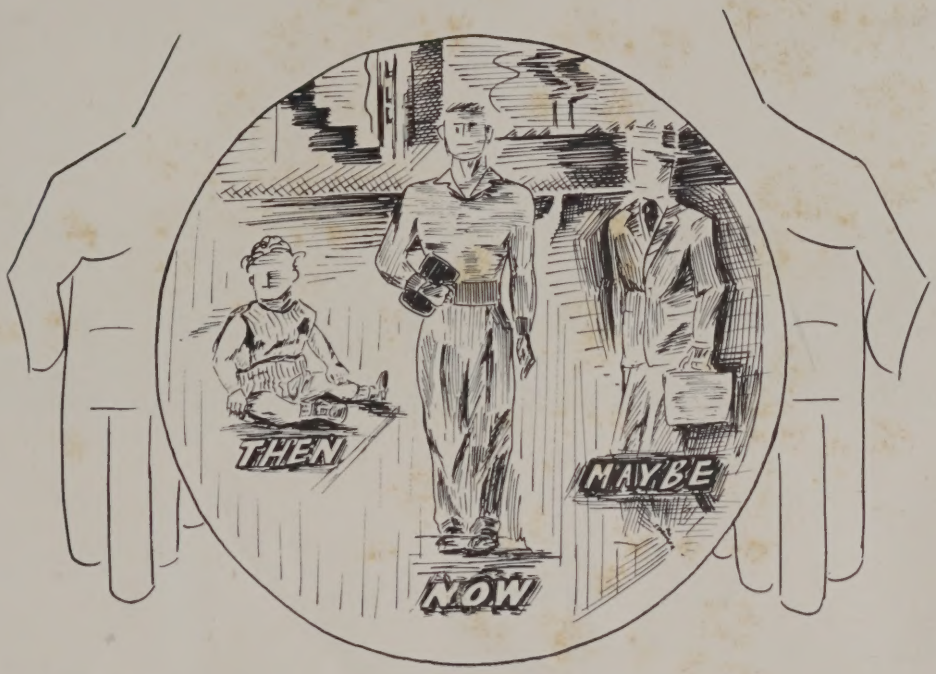


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# THE 1949 FLASHBACK

## Roosevelt High School

## Monticello, Indiana

# Dedication

We, the seniors of 1949, wish to dedicate this book to all those students who entered and were graduated from Roosevelt High School. We feel sure that the knowledge and experience acquired while attending this school will be the basis of our future success.

## Monti Hi

Monti Hi School, our Monti Hi School,

Monti Hi School we're all for you.

We will fight for the cream and crimson

For the glory of Y-O-U.

Never daunted—we cannot falter;

In the battle—we're tried and true.

Monti Hi School, our Monti Hi School,

Monti Hi School we're all for you.

## Monti Fight Song

Fight! for Monti High School!

Fight! for red and white!

And for our Alma Mater,

Fight! with all your might

Rah! Rah! Rah!

Monti High School Indians

Heap big, brave, and tall!

Our team will always rally,

When they hear our Indian Call!

UGH! (Second ending, Woo, woo.)

Fight for the red!

Fight for the white!

For the red!

For the white!

Our team will fight tonight.

Repeat.

# Administration

Haskin Gillespie
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Principal
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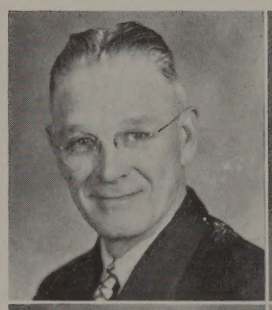

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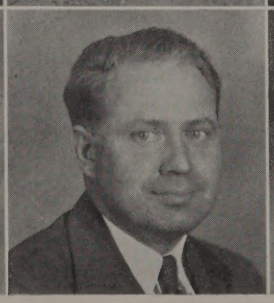

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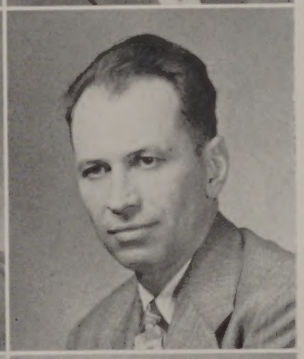

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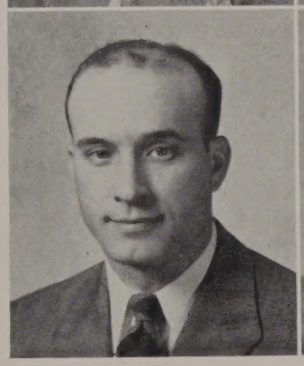

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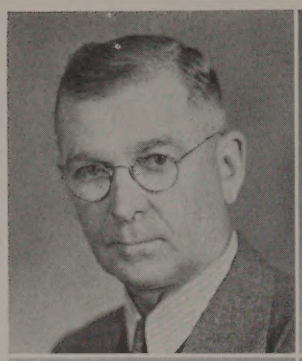

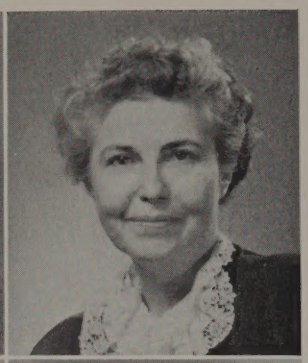

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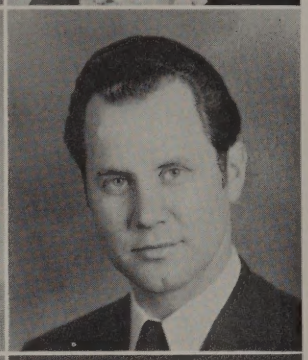

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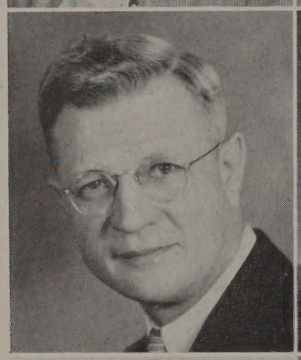

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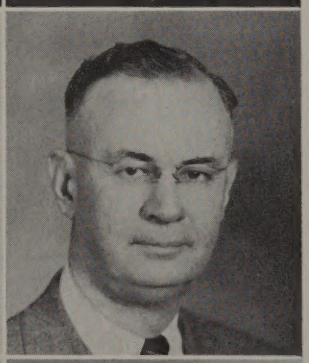

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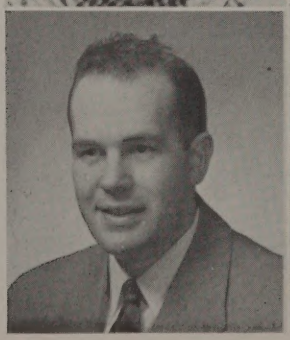


Herbert Petrich
Purdue U., B.S.P.E.
Biology
Health
Physical Education

Alice Nickel
Purdue U., B.S.
Home Economics
Biology

# Classes

Freshmen

Sophomores

Juniors

Seniors

# Seniors

Luann Vinson—*Academic*
Mel Allen—*Academic*
Mary Lou Martin—*Withdrawn*

Ronald Starck—*Academic*
Barbara Lawson—*General*
Tom Harrison—*General*

Pat Miller—*General*
Barbara Meents—*Academic*
Sherry Bunnell—*Commercial*

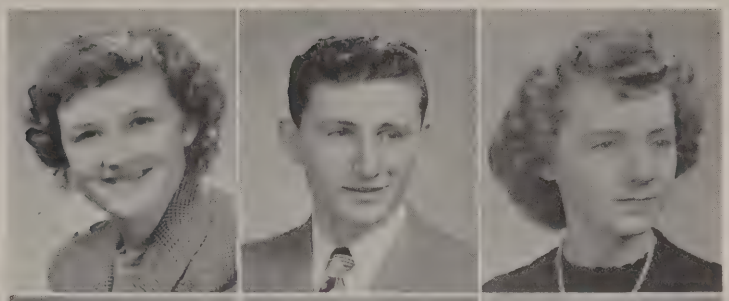
Phyllis Plummer—*Academic*
Bob Kraud—*Academic*
Eileen Hunsberger—*General*

Paul Brewer—*Academic*
Ruth Rieken—*Home Economics*
Pat Lytle—*General*

Phyllis Davis—*Academic*
Charlie Infante—*Academic*
Joy Cripe—*Academic*

# Seniors

Irma McLain—*General*
Art Kyburz—*Academic*
Ina Faye Wilson—*General*



Bill Paul—*Academic*
Barbara Harrison—*Commercial*
Perry Godlove—*Agriculture*

Barbara Biederwolf—*General*
Joan Fowler—*Commercial*
Gertrude Maas—*Commercial*

Connie Fouts—*Academic*
Kent Hackler—*Academic*
Joanne Crowel—*General*

Allen Spencer—*Academic*
Ruth Jennings—*Commercial*
Dick Olsen—*General*

Shirley Shell—*Commercial*
Ellis Rice—*Academic*
Marjorie Chrisop—*General*

# Seniors

Pat Richardson—*Home Economics*
Bennie Carr—*Agriculture*
Rosemary Cowger—*Academic*

Walter Fishel—*Academic*
Inez Vest—*General*
Tom Parsley—*Commercial*

Mary Jo Brown—*Academic*
Pat Doud—*Withdrawn*
Shirley Brown—*Academic*

Mary Ellis—*Academic*
Rich Hintz—*Academic*
Beverly Holverson—*Academic*

Evard Flinn—*General*
Jo Ann Harner—*Commercial*
Bill Garringer—*General*

Helen Magee—Academic
Charles Galloway—*Commercial*
Norma Puterbaugh—*Commercial*

# Seniors

Betty Roach—*Commercial*

Gordon Hare—*Agriculture*

Joan Nicholas—*Withdrawn*

Floyd Crouse—*Academic*

Jo Rockhill—*Academic*

Bill English—*General*

Rita Kubly—*Commercial*

Ronald Bowman—*Academic*

Helen Fulford—
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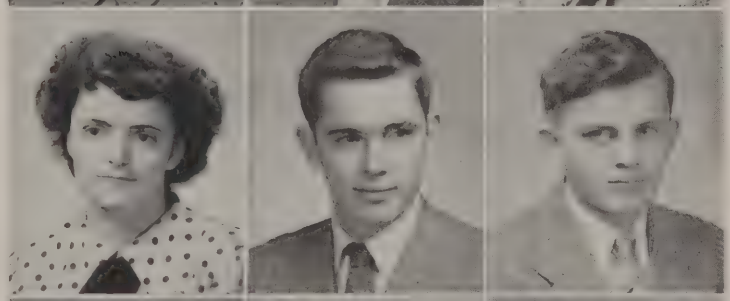
Nancy Inskeep Fenstemaker—*General*

Jim Howkinson—*Academic*

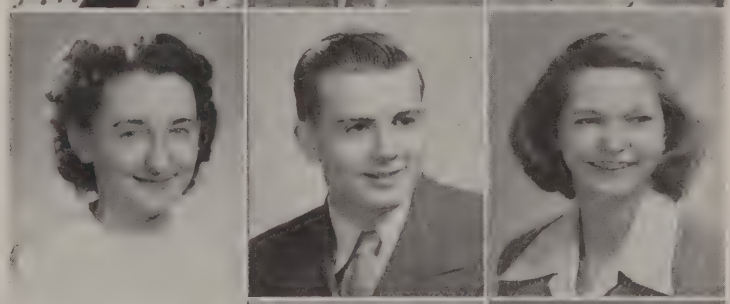
Tom Watkins—*General*



Donita White—*Academic*

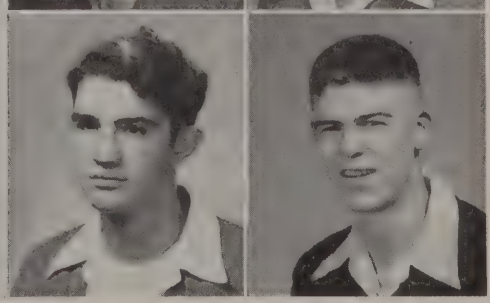
John Ortstadt—*Academic*

Betty Reynolds—
*Home Economics*



Bob Billue—*General*

Gordon Price—*General*



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Douglas Dahlenburg
Paul Henderson
Bob Heath
Dick Lytle

# Class Officers

## SENIOR CLASS

Mary Ellis—*Treasurer*
Phyllis Plummer—*Vice-President*
Pat Miller—*Secretary*
Connie Fouts—*President*

## JUNIOR CLASS

June Shields—*Secretary*
John Baum—*Vice-President*
Jack Starck—*President*
Lola Cahill—*Treasurer*

## SOPHOMORE CLASS

Jerry Bunnell—*President*
Dorothy Cahill—
*Secretary-Treasurer*
Jim Clapper—*Vice-President*

## FRESHMAN CLASS

Nancy Irelan—*Secretary-Treasurer*
Marvin Cauble—*Vice-President*
Barbara Teeter—*President*

# Juniors

JUNIORS

*Row One:* Patsy Lawson, Joyce Perry, Judith Hardacre, Lola Cahill, Martha Teeter, Naomi Malone, Janis Kinsey, Marilyn Hilton, Barbara Smith, June Shields, Carol Spencer, Elizabeth Houts.

*Row Two:* Patricia Ohman, Emma Fleener, Madge Dowden, Joy Capper, Milna Gentry, Sue Day, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Ross, Catherine Moore, DeEtta Watkins, Jackie Brown, Joanne Paul, Arlene Peters.

*Row Three:* Charles Halsema, Bruce Phillips, Joe Schnepp, Ivan Phillips, Kenneth Swartz, Bob Alspaugh, James Massing, Richard Krintz, Jerry Long, Jack Ward, Bob Garringer.

*Row Four:* Armand Van Gorden, John Baum, Jack Starck, James Hahn, John Fraser, Harry Hefner, Ivan Mullins, Ralph Jones, Ves Chambers, Mike Smith, Robert Anderson.

*Row Five:* Harold Viney, Rex Russell, Gerald Mummert, Donald Gibson, Donald Kremer, Stanley Swartz, Don Bogue, Wayne Fisher, Joe Stotler.

*Row Six:* Ronald Nipple, Vernon Reed, John Milligan, Charles Robbins, Don Wandrei, Bob Farley, Keith Flora, Donald Street, Lloyd Mikesell.

The Junior Class had an enrollment of 67 members, but has lost several members through withdrawals.

Besides taking part in the regular school activities, they staged the very successful play, *Great Caesar's Ghost,* with Mrs. Hackler as director; and gave the seniors an item for their memory books when they produced the prom.

The following members are not pictured above: Cay Cordes, Robert Manes, and Bud Cordes.

# Sophomores

SOPHOMORES

*Row One:* Shirley Perry, Catherine Crouse, Magdalene O'Farrell, Jo Hughes, Mary Gramkow, Lois Sanders, Martha Cauble, Gwen Banks, Carmalieta Dodd, Dorothy Cahill, Virgie Idle, Donna McFadden.

*Row Two:* Donald McFadden, Gray Shaw, Jerry Lilly, James McCombs, Mike Baird, Richard Martin, Mrs. Hackler, Mrs. McDowell, Eddie VanDeman, Richard Brown, Robert Wrede, Francis Huffman, Robert Alkire, Donald Smith.

*Row Three:* Marjorie Snowberger, Barbara VanMeter, Sue Hopper, Josephine Sheets, Judith Levy, Marjorie DeMoss, Carolyn Shell, Pat Richardson, Carol Darnstaedt, Caroline Ashley, Eileen Gillespie, Elsie Gosman.

*Row Four:* Carolyn Horsewood, Sharon Davis, Carolyn Schuehler, Peggy Baer, Lula VanMeter, Elaine Bowsher, Betty McClurg, Emily Pavell, Betty Randall, Glenda Pyle, Virginia Hare, Barbara Hare.

*Row Five:* Melvin Teeter, Jerry Bunnell, Tom Clapper, Jim Miller, Donald Jennings, Robert Moore, Joe Hintz, Jim Clapper, David Cottrell, George Milligan, Harwood Phend, Elmer Price, Verne Wilson, Bob Schauer.

The 65 members of the Sophomore Class entered Roosevelt High School with an eagerness to become a part of the Senior High activities. The first few weeks were filled with doubt and uncertainty but now they are proud to be a part of R. H. S.

They proved their worth by the way they handled the details of the Guidance Program when all the Juniors and Seniors of the county assembled at Roosevelt High.

Members of the Sophomore Class not pictured above are: Alice Jay, Nancy Dowden, Doris Birch, and Carol Cordes.

# Freshmen

FRESHMEN

*Row One:* Georgia Mikesell, Patricia Ann Wright, Jane Ross, Mary Ann Lytle, Marilyn Macy, Joyce Massey, Betty Fisher, Marjorie Spencer, Sue Carol Eaton.

*Row Two:* Mack Million, Paul Birch, Paul Miller, Douglas Malone, Bill Kallal, Jim Weber, John Peters, Ray Phillips.

*Row Three:* Erma Benjamin, Carmen Boatright, Dixie Willems, Pat Boudreau, Emily Schenk, Carlita Lane, Barbara Teeter, Phyllis Ann Snider, Catherine Miller.

*Row Four:* John Lucy, James Schuehler, Marvin Cauble, Keith Lincoln, Benny Fisher, Roger Hintz, Norman Thompson, Donald Davis.

*Row Five:* Maucie Faust, Gwen Hilton, Rosalee McLaughlin, Nila Jean Long, Sharon Long, Gloria Ann Greenen, Louise Chadd, Mildred Eldridge, Sarah Dill.

*Row Six:* Bill Brown, Bill Miller, Ed Rockhill, David Weinberg, Jim Pool, Paul Barnes, Bill Galloway, Jim Brown.

*Row Seven:* Jerry Hoover, Robert Nipple, Bonnie Starrett, Nancy Irelan, Juanita Hahn, Nancy Ridenour, June VanMeter, Tonya Le Andrews.

*Row Eight:* Phyllis Cunningham, Trudy Morris, Lois Anderson, Charlotte Smith, Barbara Dirks, Loretta Keever, Wilma Brandt, John Shields, Richard Bertram.

*Row Nine:* Bill O'Farrell, Jerry Brown, Bill Levy, Dean Carpenter, Jim Simmons, Dick Roach, Bob White.

The Freshman Class has completed several projects during their last year at Lincoln Junior High. The girls have worked diligently during the basketball season at their concessions to raise funds for a gift to the school. The entire class has enjoyed numerous field trips in Monticello. Their largest project was the scientific excursion to Chicago, under the sponsorship of Miss Nickel and Mr. Petrich.

# Classroom Snaps

1. American History Research.
2. Cooking must be fun.
3. Remember those Geometry problems.
4. The Art Class seems to be busy, how did that happen?
5. Serious minded geometry students.
6. Advanced Commercial Class preparing the school newspaper.
7. Are the students always so attentive in Spanish Class?
8. Shop class.
9. The Freshman girls cook also.
10. Who was it said that the students don't study in the assemblies?

# Athletics

# Football

FOOTBALL TEAM — 1948

*Front center:* Skip Gilkerson, Mascot.

*Row One:* Student Manager Richard Brown, Walter Fishel, Wayne Fisher, Allen Spencer, Melvin Allen, Assistant Coach Herb Petrich, Principal Cloyd Ryan, Coach Frosty Sprowl, Chuck Robbins, Bob Billue, Ronald Nipple.

*Row Two:* Bob Anderson, Ellis Rice, Don Gibson, Keith Flora, Charlie Infante, Elmer Price, James Massing, Bob Nipple, Melvin Teeter, Gray Shaw, Student Manager Bud Mummert.

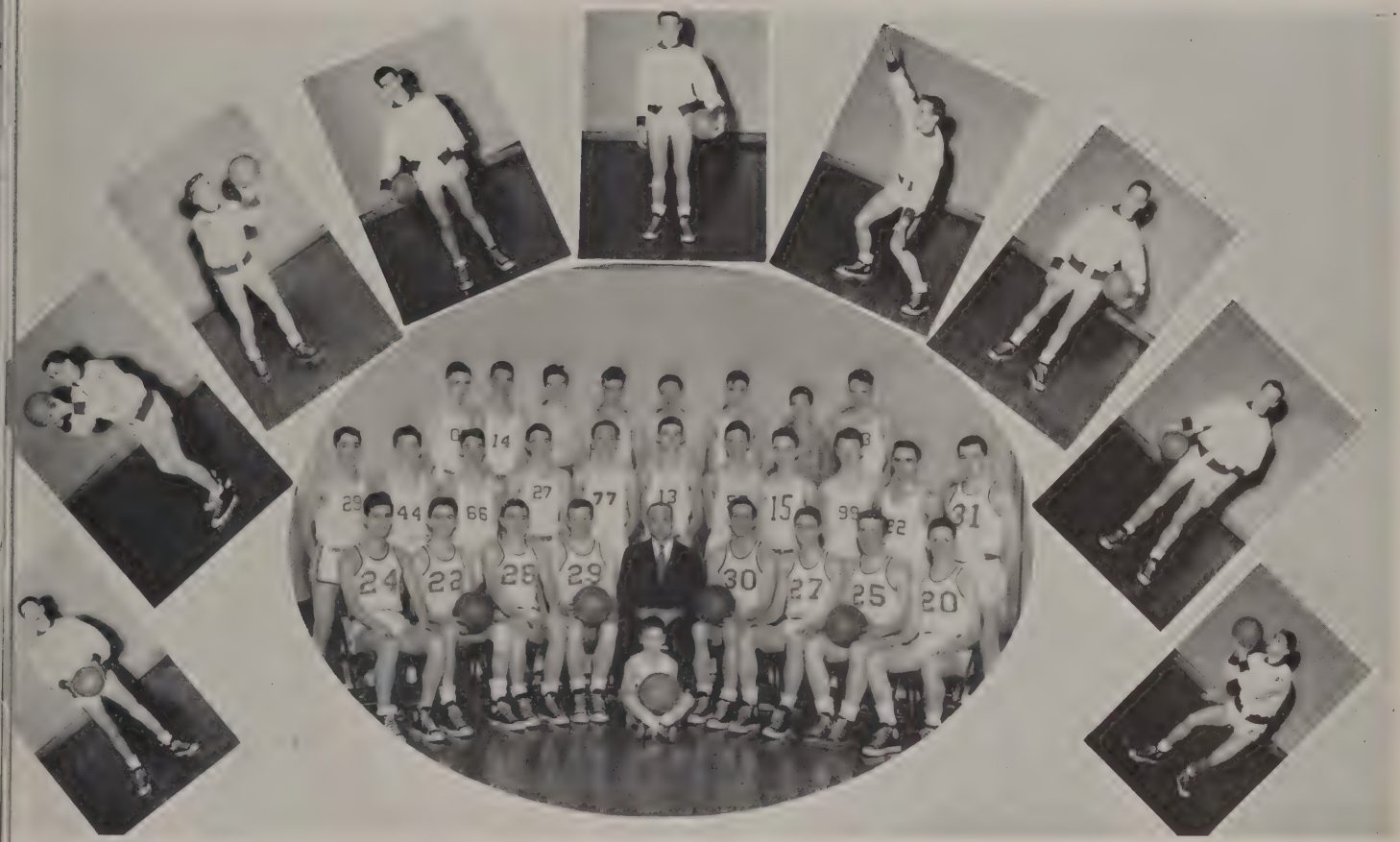
*Row Three:* Dick Krintz, Don Bogue, George Milligan, Joe Hintz, Perry Godlove, Kent Hackler, Jerry Bunnell, Jim Clapper, Vernon Reed, Jim Howkinson, Ronald Bowman, Mike Baird.

*Row Four:* Harwood Phend, Bob Mitchell, Arthur Kyburz, Richard Hintz, Bob Moore, Bob Kraud, Verne Wilson, Eddie VanDeman.

*Row Five:* Bill English, Gordon Price, Paul Brewer, Lloyd Mikesell.

The Monticello High School football squad consisted of 40 boys this year. Monticello lost many of their regulars from last year, thus Coach Frosty Sprowl had to start a lot of new fellows this year. The schedule put before the Indians this year was the toughest yet, because the majority of the teams played were the Central Indiana Conference foes. At the end of the season, when football was over, the scoreboard showed that Monti won one game, tied one, and lost the remaining 7 for a not too successful year.

# Basketball



BASKETBALL TEAM — 1948-49

*Varsity Players, Individual:* Ron Starck, Ronald Bowman, Don Kremer, Charlie Infante, Richard Hintz, Bill English, Melvin Allen, Paul Brewer, Douglas Dahlenburg.

*Group Picture, Front Center:* Skip Gilkerson, Mascot.

*Row One:* Charlie Infante, Ronald Starck, Richard Hintz, Paul Brewer, Coach Frosty Sprowl, Bill English, Douglas Dahlenburg, Don Kremer, Melvin Allen.

*Row Two:* Dick Krintz, Eddie VanDeman, Jerry Bunnell, Vernon Reed, Keith Flora, Don Wandrei, Joe Hintz, Jim Clapper, Bud Cordes, Verne Wilson, Ronald Bowman.

*Row Three:* Ralph Jones, George Milligan, Bob Anderson, student manager, Ivan Mullins, Bud Mummert, student manager, Elmer Price, Richard Brown, student manager, Don Bogue.

The Monticello Indians started out with a fine basketball schedule this year, playing many of the best teams in our district. At the end of the season the scoreboard showed the Indians had won 6 games out of a total of 22, which gave us only a fair season. Most of the boys on the varsity team this year had never had any experience playing varsity ball till this year, which might have held them back in some of their games, but anyway, excluding any excuses we know that the boys did their best all the way.

# Yell Leaders

*Front row, left to right:* Joanne Crowel, Norma Puterbaugh, Ina Faye Wilson.
*In the back:* Bud Phillips.

# Basketball Schedule—1948-49

*Games at Home*

| | | We | Opp |
|---|---|---|---|
| November 19 | —Tipton | 41 | 40 |
| November 23 | —Logansport | 32 | 41 |
| December 3 | —Delphi | 38 | 49 |
| December 10 | —Hartford City | 31 | 48 |
| December 17 | —Plymouth | 42 | 48 |
| December 22 | —Peru | 40 | 47 |
| January 1 | —New Year's Day Tourney | Rochester Won | |
| January 5 | —Brookston | 42 | 62 |
| January 7 | —Alexandria | 42 | 43 |
| January 28 | —Monon | 33 | 31 |
| February 4 | —B'rris Muncie | 37 | 50 |
| February 9 | —Remington | 39 | 37 |

*Games Away*

| | | We | Opp |
|---|---|---|---|
| December 8 | —Royal Center | 63 | 54 |
| January 12 | —Delphi | 45 | 47 |
| January 18 | —Rensselaer | 45 | 46 |
| January 21 | —Wabash | 46 | 66 |
| February 1 | —Winamac | 43 | 44 |
| February 11 | —Lebanon | 40 | 47 |
| February 18 | —Rochester | 34 | 42 |

# Golf

Monticello High School has many sports, some of which are basketball, football, and track, but in the coming years the school is trying to add the sport of golf. In the future Monti High hopes that golf will rank among the other popular sports in the school.

Last year Coach Frosty Sprowl took four boys, Ron Starck, Ralph Jones, Charles Galloway, and Gordon Price, and traveled to Peru's Missessinawa Country Club to compete in the Central Indiana Athletic Conference, where they won fifth place.

This year Monti hopes that these boys will play in the CIC Conference, and even have games with other towns. If this golf season comes through with success, Monti High hopes that in coming seasons more boys and girls here will be attracted to this sport.

# Athletic Snaps

1. The Indians taking the ball out of bounds.
2. Jumping center. (Bill got the tip.)
3. Warming up before gametime.
4. Waiting in dressing room to go out on the floor.
5. Pre-game practice.
6. Yelling section giving Indian ceremonial yell.
7. Skip, the mascot, getting ready to shoot a basket.
8. Frosty receiving his Christmas gift.
9. Coach Frosty Sprowl and Assistant Coach Herb Petrich.
10. Yell leaders in action.
11. Opponent shooting at basket over Bill's guard.
12. The opponent and our team in the huddle with their coaches.
13. The Indians in the huddle talking to the coach.
14. The American flag, score board, and the roster.
15. Shooting a foul shot.

# Drama

# Music

# The Band

BAND

*Majorettes:* Arlene Peters, Inez Vest, Phyllis Davis.

*Row One:* Shirley Shell, Joan Fowler, Barbara Sparks, John Baum, Joanne Paul, Karen Hickman, Maucie Foust.

*Row Two:* Gwen Banks, Dick Robbins, Bill Zerface, Barbara Teeter, Juanita Hahn, David Holder, Joyce Masters, Nada Ireland, Caroline Shell, Janet Emerson, Helen Magee, Barbara Smith, Betty Roach, Sharon Baum, Dona Lou Rieken, Caroline Glaiser, Nancy Soloman, Walter Fishel.

*Row Three:* Marjorie Siferd, Marline Kremer, Patty Dill, Linda Capper, Jim Franks, John Peters, Dick Gamble, Bill Kallal, Jim Miller, Dorothy Cahill, Lola Cahill, Paul Miller, Dick Washburn, Doug Dahlenburg, Vernon Reed, Don Street, Charlie Infante, Dwight Douglass, Mel Allen, Dick Roach, Eddie VanDeman, Chuck Robbins, Bob Kraud, Evard Flinn.

*Row Four:* Connie Fouts, Grant Chrisop, David Elmore, Jack Boatright, Chuck Halsema, Carolyn Holder, Beverly Holverson, Phyllis Plummer, Perdue Powlen, Director, Jack Ward, Tom Clapper, Bud Phillips.

Our High School Band entered into the 1948 and '49 season with marching demonstrations under the direction of Perdue Powlen. After playing host, during the football season, to the bands on White County night, the Band turned its attention to the basketball season. This year, resplendent in their new scarlet and white uniforms, our horn tooters were in no small measure responsible for the enthusiasm at the basketball games, both at the Lincoln and Roosevelt buildings. Upon the close of the basketball season, the Band turned its attention to the class play, their spring concert, and commencement.

# Girls' Glee Club

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

*Row One:* Barbara Harrison, Joan Nicholas, Alice Jay, Shirley Perry, Martha Cauble, Carmalieta Dodd, Connie Fouts, Joan Fowler, Gwen Banks, Catherine Crouse, Magdalene O'Farrell, Elsie Gosman, Doris Birch, Patsy Richardson.

*Row Two:* Lois Sanders, Carol Spencer, Faye Wilson, Dorothy Cahill, Mary Gramkow, Shirley Shell, Pat Richardson, Martha Teeter, Lola Cahill, Inez Vest, Nancy Inskeep, Ruth Rieken, Mary Jo Brown, Patsy Lawson, Betty Reynolds, Joan Hughes.

*Row Three:* Judy Hardacre, Barbara Lawson, Irma McLain, Jo Ann Harner, Pat Doud, Sue Hopper, Virgie Idle, Barbara VanMeter, Donna McFadden, Norma Puterbaugh, Patty Lou Miller, Sherry Bunnell, Rita Kubly.

*Row Four:* Donita White, Eileen Gillespie, Carolyn Ashley, Naomi Malone, Marjorie DeMoss, Joanne Paul, Arlene Peters, Marjorie Chrisop, Rosemary Cowger, Barbara Smith, Joanne Crowel, Phyllis Davis, Helen Fulford.

*Row Five:* Helen Magee, Jo Rockhill, Shirley Brown, Betty Roach, Gertrude Maas, Bev Holverson, Luann Vinson, Phyllis Plummer, Joy Capper, Catherine Moore, Jackie Brown, DeEtta Watkins, Betty Randall.

*Row Six:* Lula VanMeter, Glenda Pyle, Pat Ohman, June Shields, Milna Gentry, Elaine Bowsher, Eileen Hunsberger, Barbara Biederwolf, Sharon Davis, Peggy Baer, Mary Ellis, Mary Martin, Carolyn Schuehler, Betty McClurg, Emily Pavell, Judith Levy, Carolyn Horsewood, Carolyn Shell.

The Girls' Glee Club this year is composed of approximately ninety members. The girls, who meet once each week and combine with the Boys' Glee Club on Friday, have focused their attention mainly on mastering three part harmony. One of their outstanding productions was their presentation of the "Hallelujah Chorus" at the Christmas Festival. The spring concert and commencement also displayed the ability of this group.

# Boys' Glee Club

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

*Row One:* Bob Anderson, Wayne Fisher, Floyd Crouse, Walt Fishel, John Fraser, Mel Allen, Jim Howkinson, Harwood Phend, Don Jennings, Jim Miller, Dick Olsen, John Ortstadt.

*Row Two:* Bob Alkire, Bob Garringer, Ken Swartz, Dick Brown, Mike Baird, Dick Krintz, Bud Phillips, Joe Schnepp, Chuck Halsema, Bob Wrede, Gray Shaw, Don Smith.

*Row Three:* Joan Fowler, Secretary, Bill Garringer, Charlie Galloway, Harold Viney, Tom Harrison, Armand VanGordon, Jack Starck, George Milligan, Harry Hefner, Joe Stotler, Tom Clapper, Eddie VanDeman, Connie Fouts, Pianist.

*Row Four:* Jerry Long, Melvin Teeter, Charlie Infante, Allen Spencer, Ves Chambers, Kent Hackler, Bob Kraud, Jim Clapper, Don Gibson, Keith Flora, Ron Bowman, Vernon Reed, Bob Manes, Director Perdue Powlen.

*Row Five:* Art Kyburz, Don Kremer, Bob Farley, Don Street, Bill Paul, Don Wandrei, Chuck Robbins, Gordon Price, Bill English, Paul Brewer, Joe Hintz, Lloyd Mikesell, John Milligan, Ronald Nipple, Ron Starck, Jim Hahn.

The Boys' Glee Club, composed of approximately sixty members, did exceptional work under their new director, Perdue Powlen. This year the group worked at singing parts and was greatly justified in the singing of the "Hallelujah Chorus" at the Christmas Festival. For the remainder of the year the Boys' Glee Club worked diligently on a spring concert and the commencement.

# Christmas Program

Directed by
Perdue Powlen and Katharine S. White

PROGRAM

O Come All Ye Faithful—Polish Carol.....Processional
Welcome.....F. H. Gillespie
Draw Night, Immanuel—William Hughes..... Ninth Grade Chorus
Go Tell It On The Mountains—Spiritual.....Senior H. S. Chorus
Christmas Cradle Song—Mary Strawn Vernon.....1, 2, 3 Grades
Joseph Dear, O Joseph Mild—Robert Sheehan.....4, 5, 6 Grades
Bring A Torch, Jeannette—Edward E. Breck.....1, 2, 3 Grades
Angels, We Have Heard On High—Descant Mary Strawn Vernon
Grades 4-9
As Lately We Watched—Robert Sheehan.....7th, 8th Male Octette
Cantique de Noel—Adams.....Senior H. S. Girls' Chorus
Prayer.....Rev. Meyer Andru Madsen
A Christmas Prayer—Dvorak.....4, 5, 6 Mixed Octette
Good Christian Men Rejoice—Descant by Mary Vernon.....7th, 8th
O Little Town of Bethlehem—Redner.....All
Scripture—Luke 2:8-20.....All, Led by 6th
Lo, How A Rose Ere Blooming—Wallingford-Riegger.....9th Girls' Chorus
The Holy City—Adams.....Senior H. S. Boys' Chorus
God Rest You Merry Gentlemen—William Hughes.....7th, 8th
Silent Night—Gruber.....All
Living Picture.....Grace Roberts and her Art Club
The Hallelujah Chorus—from the Messiah—Handel.....Senior H. S. Chorus
Hark The Herald Angels Sing.....All

*Top:* First and second grades present the "Cradle Song".
*Row One:* Boys' Glee Club . . . Ninth grade girls' glee club.
*Row Two:* Decanters entering auditorium . . . Upper hall activity.
*Row Three:* Freshmen arrive for program . . . Interested spectators.
*Bottom:* Front hall Christmas tree.

# Senior Class Play

*Left to Right:* Betty Roach, Beverly Holverson, Melvin Allen, Jim Howkinson, Connie Fouts, Luann Vinson, Bob Kraud, Phyllis Plummer, Walter Fishel, Charlie Infante.

"THE EMERALD EYE"

*Presented by*
THE SENIOR CLASS

November 12, 1948—Roosevelt Gym

Coach.....Mrs. Laura McDowell
Business Manager.....Mr. Robert Ross

When Captain Svensen's small craft is endangered by storm, his passengers take refuge in a Norwegian coastal cave, where a passage leads to a damp basement. Feeling safe at last, they are unnerved when a skull is found and a girl sees a gorilla-figure in the pass. But a woman Anna opens the door, tells them to leave; they are in the Vikings' tomb. Jan Sorensen and Karl Beaudine argue on leaving, and as they decided with Jan to go, they are trapped. Their host, the monmaniac called Ottar, seizes on Britta Johann believing her a queen of old who must return to the tomb. Soon she is found, in the tomb—along with the sick fiance of Esther Sorensen. Beaudine, a traitor, is killed in an attempted treachery, as the little group finally overcomes the evil place.

# Play Snaps

*Row One:* Connie . . . Make-up committee in action . . East entrance . . . Donita, Charlie, and Mel . . . Charlie and Mel.

*Center:* Junior play cast, seated, Connie, Mel, Nancy, Phyllis, Bob. Back row, Walt, Donita, Charlie, and Beverly.

*Row Two:* Joan, Connie, Donita, Luann . . . Bob and Mel . . . Charlie, Walt, and Mel.

*Row Three:* Make-up committee . . . Betty and Mel . . . Audience entering auditorium.

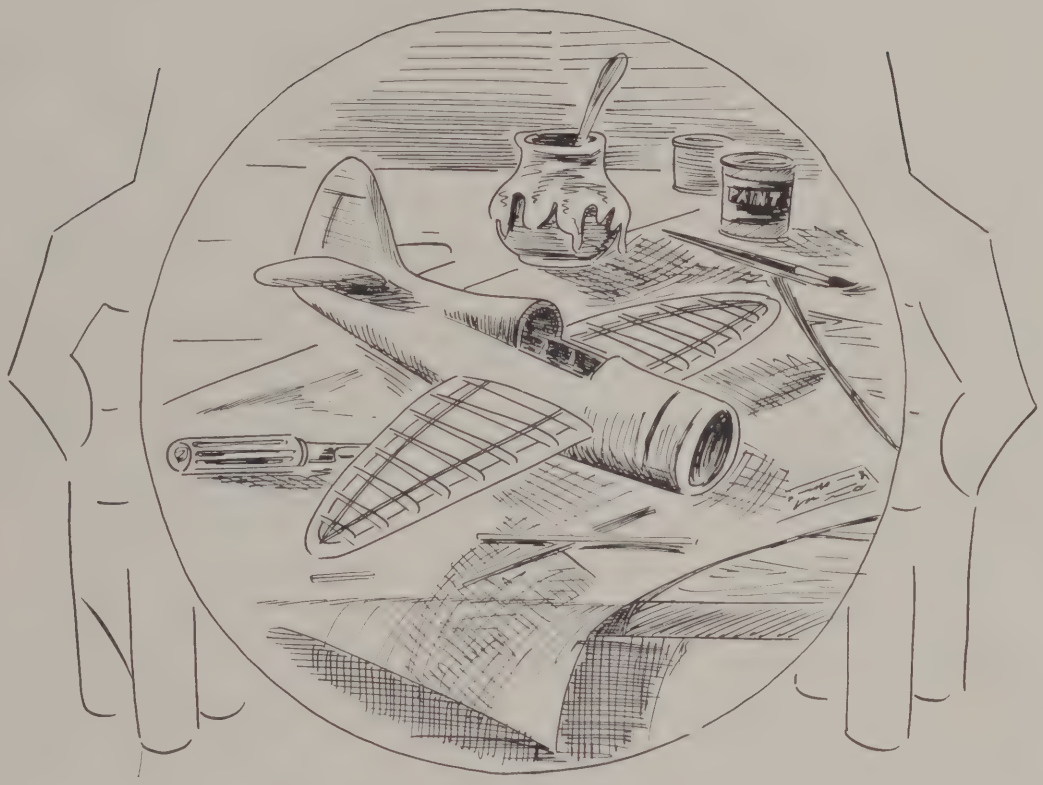
*Row Four:* Connie, Luann, Phyllis, Bev, and Jim . . . East exit . . . Ushers . . . Senior Play audience . . . Bob Kraud.

*Row Five:* Director, Laura McDowell and Business Manager, Robert Ross . . . Walt and Mel . . . Al Spencer, designing the stage . . . Al and Gordon Price . . . Miss Nickels and Bob Kraud.

# Music Snaps

1. Inez Vest.
2. Band playing for Junior High basketball games.
3. Phyllis Davis.
4. Charlie Infante, student band director.
5. Brass sextet, Bev, Helen, Mel, Evard, Vernon, and Charlie.
6. Preparing for Christmas program.
7. Noon-time harmonizing.
8. Carolers.
9. Band Parents' Halloween Party.

# Clubs



# Flashback

FLASHBACK STAFF

*Row One:* Mary Jo Brown, Shirley Shell, Connie Fouts, Norma Puterbaugh, Mary Ellis, Joy Cripe, Jo Ann Harner, Marjorie Chrisop, Joan Fowler, Barbara Teeter.

*Row Two:* Barbara Biederwolf, Melvin Allen, Betty Roach, Charlie Infante, Beverly Holverson, Allen Spencer, Phyllis Plummer, Jack Starck, Shirley Brown, Charles Galloway, Barbara Meents, Jerry Bunnell, Donita White.

The Senior Class of '49 was determined to have a Yearbook. Such a large project took money, and where was it to come from? After much consideration of the ways to raise money, food sales formed the base. Our sales were three in number; two were held in November, and the other one in January. With the help of Mr. Griswold, of the Ben Franklin Store, and the splendid cooperation of the students of the Senior Class, the sales proved very successful, and were well received by the residents of the community.

However, not all the money was procured by our sales. Donations were given by the many classes and clubs of the High School, plus large contributions from the Tri Kappas and Band Parents.

A smaller project was the teen-age canteen, held on Thursday night under the supervision of the Eagles. A concession was opened and the profits went to the betterment of the concessions and the Flashback.

# Flashback Staff

Editor In Chief.....Mary Ellis
Assistant Editor.....Joy Cripe
Art Editor.....Allen Spencer
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Class Editor.....Betty Roach
Clubs.....Donita White
Drama.....Norma Puterbaugh
Faculty.....Pat Miller
Music .....Evard Flinn
Business Manager.....Shirley Shell
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Snaps.....Beverly Holverson
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Class Reporters
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Sophomore..... Jerry Bunnell
Freshman..... Barbara Teeter
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Mounting Manager.....Mary Jo Brown
Typists.....Jo Ann Harner
Faculty Sponsor.....Miss Nickels

The editors and committee chairmen confer on mounting, circulation, and shipping of our 1949 Flashback.

# Student Council

STUDENT COUNCIL

Phyllis Plummer
*Secretary*

Melvin Allen
*Treasurer*

Shirley Brown
*President*

Connie Fouts
*Vice-President*

The Student Council is an important organization in Roosevelt High. It plans many interesting programs and events plus its regular purpose of making rules by which the school abides.

One of the annual functions of this organization is the sale of booster plates.

A Latin American program was procured for October 12. A minister and his wife told us of some of the South American countries which they had visited. Many articles, such as rugs, pictures, and costumes, were exhibited; and two or three songs were sung by the minister's daughter.

As is the custom, the Student Council planned the annual Thanksgiving Program. Dr. Kirkpartick gave the main address and was assisted by the other ministers of the community.

Another custom of the Council is to buy and decorate a Christmas Tree which is placed in the lower hall. This is appreciated by all who see it.

December 15, Reverend Johnson was obtained to give a Christmas message to the students of the school.

A radio broadcast was planned by the members of the Council which was recorded January 27 (WASK).

Mr. Brooks from the State Police spoke on safety February 17.

The high light of the programs of the Council was the guidance program planned for the Junior and Senior classes. These are of great help to the students who do not know exactly what they want to do after graduation.

# Tomahawk Staff

NEWSPAPER CLUB

*Standing:*

Ronald Bowman
*Puzzle Editor*

Kent Hackler
*Business Manager*

Al Spencer
*Art Editor*

*Seated:*

Gwen Banks
*Feature Editor*

Donita White
*Editor-in-Chief*

Shirley Brown
*News Editor*

Carolyn Shell
*Assistant Editor*

Bill English
*Sports Editor*

Jo Ann Harner
*Copy Reader*

Carolyn Ashley
*Social Editor*

The main function of this club is to edit the school newspaper. This year the papers have been issued near the end of each month, and we have had eight issues in all.

Two new features were added. One, the Tommy Hawk Dilemma Corner, where problems of the students are answered; the other, Prognostications, where the future is forecast.

# Sunshine Society

Judy Hardacre
*Vice-President*
Phyllis Plummer
*President*
Eileen Gillespie
*Secretary*
Barbara Harrison
*Treasurer*

All the girls of Roosevelt belong to the Sunshine Society, in which better citizenship is the goal.

October 6 was organization day for the Sunshine Society and as is the tradition, all Sophomore girls were initiated.

The society in collaboration with the Braves Council planned a dance that was known as the "Soc Hop". It was held in the Lincoln Gym, October 20. The second semester a Sadie Hawkins Day Dance was given where the table was turned, and the girls took the initiative in the common courtesies. This dance was held in the Staggs Gym on March 4.

At Christmas the tradition is for the girls to go caroling and take baskets containing fruit and canned goods to cheer the shut-ins and old folks.

One of the services that the society does is to sell candy, cokes, potato chips, etc., at noon to add variety to the cold lunches of some of the students.

Each summer a camp is held at Tecumseh for Sunshine girls. We usually send two girls so that the following year the leaders may have a better knowledge of the meaning of Sunshine and may help other members to strive toward its goal.

# Braves Council

Walt Fishel
*Secretary-Treasurer*
Melvin Allen
*President*

The boys' organization of Roosevelt made a change this year. It was formerly and unofficially known as Hi-Y but due to its organization was reverted to Braves Council. Their new motto is as follows:

> "The purpose of the Braves Council is to create a better school both for those of us here and those who follow. This we shall do through Christian living, clean speech, good morals and clean sportsmanship."

At one meeting Ted Tomlin, a former member now in the Navy, spoke on his experience in the service. Another speaker was Mr. Gillespie who spoke on "Making Choices".

The Braves Council with help from the girls' organization sponsored a debate where the faults of the high school girl and boy were discussed. They were also co-sponsor of the Soc Hop held in October.

The Hobo Hop in April was a comeback to the Sadie Hawkins Dance which the Sunshine held in March. It, too, was a success.

# Dramatics Club

The Dramatics Club presented radio plays and one-act plays for the students, as well as for the people of the community. The club interests students in dramatics and also gives them experience as play directors.

The newest organization at Roosevelt High School is the Arts and Crafts Club, which meets once each week under the sponsorship of Miss Grace Roberts. The purpose of this club is to instruct students in handiwork that will lead into useful hobbies in later years.

# Arts and Crafts Club

# Pep Club

The Pep Club strives for better sportsmanship among the players and fans. It tries to create enthusiasm and prevent rowdiness at the games. The club is very young but hopes to have more influence in years to come.

G.A.A. stands for Girls' Athletic Association. This club encourages girls to participate in sports of all kinds. It plans volley ball, basketball, and ping-pong tournaments. Points are given to girls who take part in sports and if enough points are earned sweaters are given to them.

# G.A.A.

# Agriculture Club

The Agriculture Club's most important project was a Pest Drive which was very helpful to the community. Under the leadership of Mr. Howkinson, the club has taken several field trips, among them being one to the International Stock Show at Chicago and one to the Indiana State Fair.

The aim of this club is to develop interest in aeronautics by making models of airplanes and visiting various airports. The club purchased a small motor to make experiments. It has also had various speakers to interest the boys in this field.

# Airplane Club

# School Calendar
# 1948-1949

AUGUST

23-24—Registration Day—Here we go again.
27—Organization Day—Back in the old rut.
30—First day of school—only (?) days to go.

SEPTEMBER

6—Labor Day—No School—Fine Start!
10—Football—Logansport—Here—First football game.
17—Football—Plymouth—There—Bruises galore.
24—Football—Hartford City—There—Let's have a carnival with every football game.

OCTOBER

1—Football—Kirklin—There—The fans enjoyed "lights out" at half time.
6—Sunshine Society—Initiation.
Braves' Council—Ted Tomlin speaker—Voice of experience.
8—Football—Peru—Here—Slide Kelly Slide.
9—Sunshine Society District Convention at Monon.
12—Latin American Program—Si Si.
13—Report Cards out—The first shock is the worst!
Senior Play Tryouts—Wherefore art thou Romeo?
Organization of clubs—The meeting will now come to order—quiet!
15—Football—Elwood—Here—Lettermen night.
19—Football—Tipton—Here—White County night—Bands.
20—"Soc Hop" sponsored by Sunshine Society and Braves' Council. Any sore feet? Any shoes lost?
21-22—State Teachers' Meeting—No school—First good thing all year!
23—Football—Delphi—There.
27—Club meetings.
Registration for School election.
28—Registration for School election.
29—Football—Rensselaer—There.
First Publication of Tomahawk—5c please.
5th period band class Halloween Party.
Home Ec. Class Halloween Party.

NOVEMBER

2—Election Day—Don't forget to vote!
8—Movie on "Last Days of Pompei".
9—Arts and Crafts Club and 4-H Club go to Purdue.
Fire Prevention Speaker—Beware firebugs!
10—Club meetings.
12—Senior Class Play—Lights, Camera, Action!
13—Senior Bake Sale—Seniors have good cooks for mothers.
16—Students see Macbeth at Purdue.
19—Basketball—Tipton—Here—First basketball game.
20—Senior Bake Sale.
I. O. O. F. Dance—Ouch! My corn!
24—Thanksgiving Religious Program.
Publication of Tomahawk.
25-26—Thanksgiving Vacation.
27—Opening of the new bridge—Band first over.
29—Patch Tests given—Is you is or is you ain't?
30—Ag boys went to Chicago Stock Show—Sniff, Sniff!

DECEMBER

1—Report cards out—Better sit down! I need sympathy.
Sunshine Society and Braves' Council debate on "What's wrong with the opposite sex".—What isn't wrong with them?
2—Delphi displays its art ability by writing on the school's sidewalks—They must have a large art class.
3—Delphi shows their ability to wash sidewalks—Maybe they will be good husbands!
Basketball—Delphi—Here.
8—Basketball—Royal Centre—There—We won one!
Dramatic Club Tryouts for Radio Plays—Tune in tomorrow.
Club meetings.
Christmas tree put up and decorated—Kind of makes the old school look different.
9—First snow—Better duck!
10—Basketball—Hartford City—Here.
13—Girls and Boys Physical Education Together—Swing your partner.

15—Sunshine Caroling—The snow is snowing.
20—Student Council Dance.
21—Tomahawk—Ah!—The latest dirt!
22—Basketball—Peru—Here—The holiday sing was climaxed by the presentation of the Christmas scene.
Christmas program—entire school—Hallelujah!
G.A.A. Dance.
Dismiss for Christmas Vacation—See you next year!
25—Christmas.

JANUARY

1—New Year's Day Tourney—Is that the way to start the New Year?
3—End of Christmas vacation—Back to school again ( ? ) days to go?
5—Basketball—Brookston—Here—Sophomores crash seniors' party. We'll have to give them credit.
7—Basketball—Alexandria—Here—Seniors crash sophomores' party.
12—Basketball—Delphi—There—We still have another chance.
13-14-15—County Tourney—The Bombers had things under control.
18—Basketball—Renssalaer—There.
19—Report cards—Exam grades too! Ohhhh.
21—Basketball—Wabash—There.
22—Senior Bake Sale—Maybe they have improved their baking.
25—Rehearsal of radio broadcast.
26—Club meetings.
27—Recording of radio broadcast—1430 on your dial.
Eagles Dance ( Canteen )—The boys can dance too!
28—Basketball—Monon—Here—We side tracked them.
Tomahawk.
29—Playing of broadcast over WASK—Featuring our newest attraction: soloist, Walter Fishel—Oh Walt, you slay me!

FEBRUARY

1—Basketball—Winamac—There—Did the best team win?—One of our moral victories.
3—Eagles Canteen.
4—Basketball—Burris of Muncie—Here.
White County Teachers' Association—NO SCHOOL.
8—Junior Play Tryouts—May the best man win!
9—Basketball—Remington—Here—Basket, Basket, Basket, Boys!
10—Eagles Canteen—See you at 7:30.
11—Basketball—Lebanon—There—You never know.
14—Beginning of KK week—Braves' Council's Valentine gift to the Sunshine Society is "Kill 'em with Kourtesy" week—They did!
17—Corporal Sayler of State Police gave talk on "Safety and Traffic Rules".
18—Basketball—Rochester—There.
21—Sophomore Class Rings—( Now we can go steady.)
24—Tomahawk.
24-25-26—Section Basketball Tourney—We had the yelling section, but Brookston had the team.

MARCH

2—Seniors play underclassmen in basketball—Too much too late—Heap big seniors win by heap big score.
3—Canteen
4—Sadie Hawkin's Dance—Corsages for sale, any size or shape!
Student Council Program—speaker from China—Want to get married, girls?
9—White County Guidance Program—No Classes.
10—Eagles Canteen.
18—Dramatic Club Plays.
26—State Sunshine Convention.
30—Dramatic Club presents radio plays for student body.

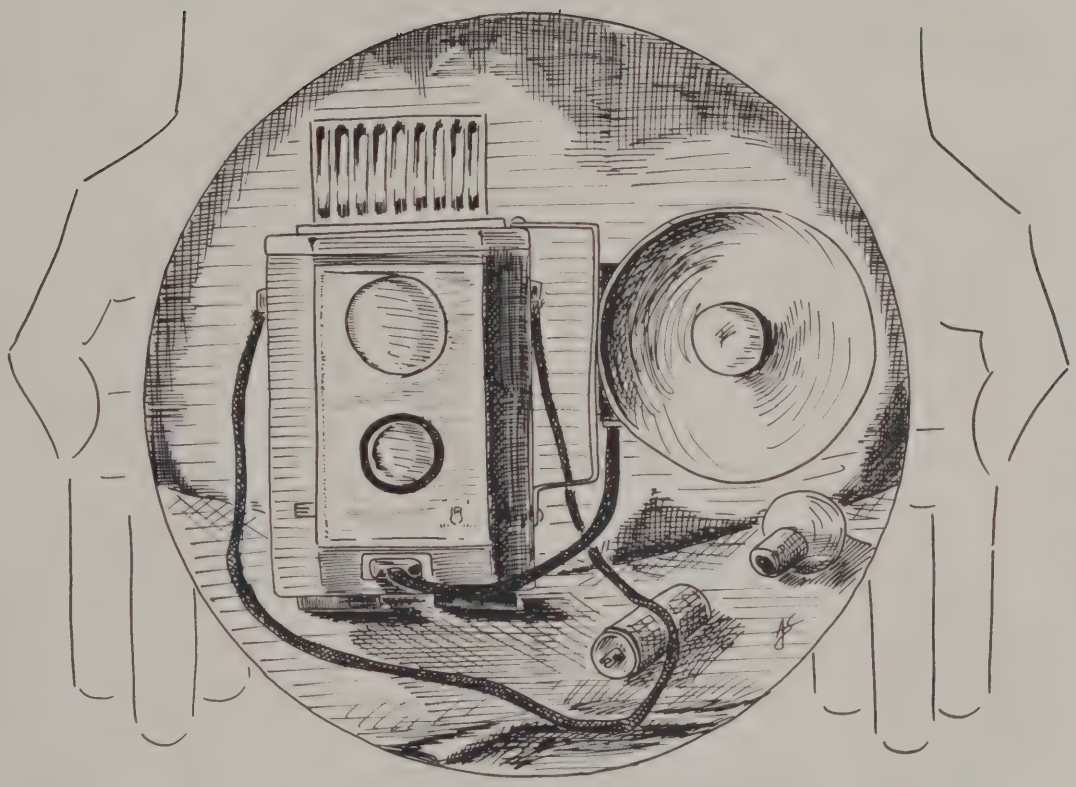
APRIL

1—Junior Class Play—April Fool's Day—As if you didn't know.
8—Home Ec. girls go to Chicago—Here's hoping you have a heater this year.
13—Report cards—Not again!
14—Speech Contest.
15-18—Spring Vacation—One of the days lived for!
29—Musical—by Band and Glee Club.

MAY

3—Open House—I was never that young.
7—Junior-Senior Prom—We're grown up now!
13—Senior Day and Achievement Day—Who me?
13-14—Sectional track meet.
15—Baccalaureate at Christian Church.
17-18—Final exams—This is it!
19—South Building May Day Program—Remember when?
20—Commencement—THE BIG MOMENT!
21—State Track Meet.

# Snaps



# Snaps

*Row One:* After school coke at the Drug Store . . . Sunshine convention at Lafayette . . . Junior-Senior Prom at Ideal Beach.

*Row Two:* That old gang of Seniors . . . Connie, Phyllis, Inez, Beverly, Luann, and Donita . . . Bob Kraud and Vernon Reed.

*Row Three:* Bob and Ron Bowman . . . Patty Lou and Inie . . . Another Senior Slumber party . . . Joy, Jo Ann, and Mary Jo . . . Bob Billue.

*Row Four:* Freshman gang . . . Mary, still selling play tickets . . . Jerry Lilly . . . Bob, Vernon, Donita, and Bud . . . Bill English . . . Barbara Meents.

# Snaps

*Row One:* Magdaline O'Farrell . . . Alice Jay . . . Another Senior gang . . . Jackie, Janis, Lola, Judy, and DeEtta . . . Rosie and Joanne.

*Row Two:* Phyllis and Rosie . . . Don Smith . . . Jo Helen Sheets . . . Joan and Jo . . . Bake Sale advertising.

*Center:* Familiar Group.

*Row Three:* Bake Sale activities . . . Shirley Brown, Shirley Shell, and Phil Davis . . . Working to finance this book.

*Row Four:* Luann and Beverly . . . Patty Doud . . . Posed . . . Student Council Program.

# Snaps

*Row One:* Mary and Margie . . . Posed . . . Dismissal . . . Shirley Shell.

*Row Two:* Barbara, Emily, and Patty . . . Norma's Senior Skirt . . . Paul, Rich, and Ellis.

*Row Three:* Senior Gab-fest . . . Shirley Shell, Phil Plummer, and Phyllis Davis . . . Lincoln Junior High lunch room.

*Row Four:* Patty Richardson . . . Those famous cars . . . Phyllis and Connie and another slumber party . . . Sharon Long.

*Row One:* Election registration . . . mute evidence of the right of the voter . . . the election board counting the votes.

*Row Two:* Sheriffs, Bob Kraud and Charles Galloway . . . Vernon Reed registers, giving him the right to vote . . . Sue Day hands the inspector her ballot . . . Election Board.

*Row Three:* Remember those school dances . . . Mary and Jo Ann . . . Braves Council meeting.

*Row Four:* Is that a class? . . . School zone . . . the Sunshine Society enjoying their program.

*Row Five:* Peggy and Pat . . .Mary . . . Vernon, Bud and Don . . . Five familiar Freshmen . . . Barbara . . . Pat Lyle.

# Snaps

*Row One:* Posed Sophomores . . . "The Journey's End" . . . Mel, Bill, and Gordon . . . Familiar Seniors.

*Row Two:* Noon-time recreation . . . Pat, Jo, Luann and Betty . . . Barbara, JoAnn, and Shirley . . . Mary and Miss Nickels' Chevrolet.

*Row Three:* Three dignified seniors . . . Ag. Club members . . . Donita White . . . JoAnn, Joy, Mary Jo, and Shirley.

*Row Four:* Phyllis, Connie, Phyllis and Barbara . . . Charles, Bill and Tom . . . Jo Helen, Lula, and Carol . . . Bob, Vernon, and Chuck.

# Now —Then

# Maybe

# Now—Then

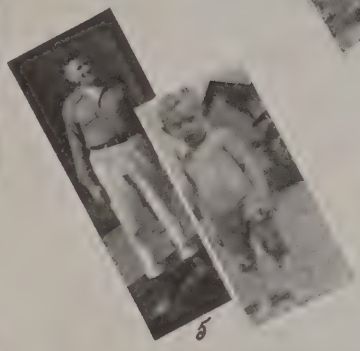
1. Barbara Meents
2. Phyllis Plummer
3. Joan Fowler
4. Norma Puterbaugh
5. Irma McLain
6. Ruth Rieken
7. JoAnn Harner
8. Helen Fulford
9. Pat Doud
10. Inez Vest
11. Mary Ellis
12. Helen Magee
13. Barbara Harrison
14. Joy Cripe
15. Charles Galloway

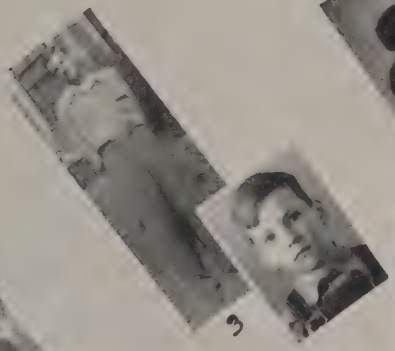
# Now—Then

1. Charlie Infante
2. Ruth Jennings
3. Walter Fishel
4. Connie Fouts
5. Arthur Kyburz
6. Kent Hackler
7. Gordon Hare
8. Richard Hintz
9. Douglas Dahlenburg
10. Phyllis Davis
11. Barbara Lawson
12. Eileen Hunsberger
13. Ronald Starck
14. Jim Howkinson
15. Donita White

# Now—Then

1. Betty Roach
2. Melvin Allen
3. Rita Kubly
4. Shirley Shell
5. Mary Jo Brown
6. Barbara Biederwolf
7. Patsy Richardson
8. Jo Rockhill
9. Luann Vinson
10. Sherry Bunnell
11. Joanne Crowel
12. Shirley Brown
13. Joan Nicholas





1. Second Grade at the South Building
2. Bill Paul
3. Bill English
4. Beverly Holverson
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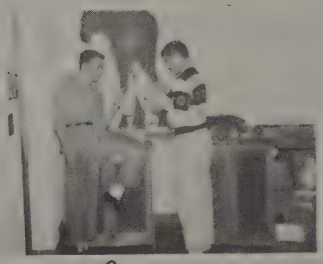
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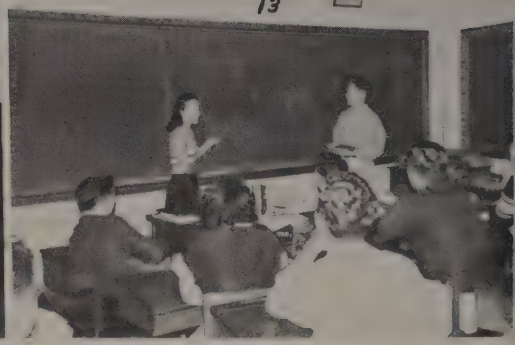
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1. Beverly Holverson, maybe a lady.
2. Connie Fouts, of course, will be a concert pianist.
3. We think Ruth Jennings will be a homemaker.
4. Will Gordon Hare be a farmer?
5. One Senior girl may be President of United States, one may be Vice-President, and naturally they will choose nine other 49'ers as their cabinet members.
6. Will Charlie Infante be a street cleaner? We thought he had higher ambitions.
7. Bill English and Dick Olsen may be motorcycle racers.
8. Will Margie Chrisop still be a cosmetic salesgirl?
9. Don't you think Kent Hackler and Ronald Bowman will be artists?
10. Of course, Walter Fishel will be a lawyer and Donita White will be an efficient stenographer.
11. Ronald Starck may be the owner of a Cadillac and have a chauffeur, figure that out for yourself.
12. Of course, John Ortstadt will be a furniture salesman.
13. We think Mel Allen will return to Monticello High School as a math teacher.

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